

1 **Rule 15-902. Purpose and scope; establishment of Fund.**

2 (a) The Fund is established to reimburse clients for losses caused by the dishonest conduct
3 committed by licensed paralegal practitioners admitted to practice in Utah.

4 (b) The purpose of the Fund is to promote public confidence in the administration of justice
5 and the integrity of the legal profession by reimbursing losses caused by the dishonest conduct of
6 licensed paralegal practitioners admitted to practice law in Utah, occurring in the course of the
7 licensed paralegal practitioner/client or fiduciary relationship between the licensed paralegal
8 practitioner and the claimant.

9 (c) Every licensed paralegal practitioner has an obligation to the public to participate in the
10 collective effort of the Bar to reimburse persons who have lost money or property as a result of
11 the dishonest conduct of another licensed paralegal practitioner. Contribution to the Fund is an
12 acceptable method of meeting this obligation.

13 (d) Reserved.